I’ll Huff & I’ll Puff

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My house is made out of:

1. Icy Pole Sticks
2. Rocks
3. Wood shavings
4. Cling wrap
5. Foil
6. A branch off a tree
7. A plastic cup
8. A shoe box lid
9. Blu- tack
10. Glue
11. A pipe cleaner

It is wind resistant, can be water proof and is environmentally friendly, it can stand some earthquakes but the giant ones it may fall over.

Instructions to make my house…

1. Buy a $2.50 packet of 80 icy pole sticks.
2. Cut into the sticks so they can click together, make 2 complete squares.
3. Get 1 side of the 2 squares and add about 11 sticks.
4. Once they are dry you may continue with other sides.
5. For the roof, measure out how wide the sides are and do the roofs the same length, once the frames of them are done, put one stick on the bottom of both sides and go up.
6. While they are drying, get an old shoe box lid and cut into the front to make a gate.
7. Now you can get 2 pieces of cling wrap, one facing north south and the other facing east west.
8. Put some wood shavings into it and tie it all up.
9. Put the shavings in the show box and get some sticky tape and glue to stick the house to them.
10. Turn the cup up-side down and stick a pipe cleaner to it to make it look like a water tank.
11. You can label the cup if you want or you can leave

it plain but after that get the branch and sticky tape

part of a leaf to the back of the house.

1. Now you can cut a little bit of foil out and stick it on the roof, if you like, put some blu- tack in each corner to help them stay stronger, and then you are done.

What my house does and how it works…

My house can be safe in a flood because at the bottom, there are holes and the water would drain through them and water the garden. It can hold in some earthquakes because of the blu-tack in each corner that makes the roof stronger. In a fire, it would not last but it could be built in a low fire risk area.

Because my house is environmentally friendly, more can be built, it has no chimney so we are not releasing fumes and even gas into the world, because there is no chimney or gas heater, you can stay warm in the house by staying in one of the corners, the blu tack is based on a clay that heats up when something is near it, it is not hot or freezing. The wood shavings can disintegrate and break down bags really easy. My house is easy and fun to make.

Thank you for listening to my project on “I’ll huff and I’ll puff” I hope you enjoyed it…